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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace all prior versions and listings of claims with the currently amended claims as follows.

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A compound of formula II:

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein:

 Z^1 is CR^8 ;

R^y is Z-R^{3'} or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, C₆₋₁₀ aryl, a heteroaryl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or a heterocyclyl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or R^y and R⁸ are taken together to form a fused, optionally substituted-5-7 membered, unsaturated or partially unsaturated, ring having 0-3 ring heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur benzo ring;

Q is selected from -N(R^4)-, -O-, -S-, or -CH(R^5)-;

R¹ is T-(Ring D);

Ring D is a 6-7 membered monocyclic ring or 8-10 membered bicyclic ring selected from aryl, heteroaryl, heterocyclyl or carbocyclyl, said heteroaryl or heterocyclyl ring having 1-4 ring heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen or sulfur, wherein each substitutable ring carbon of Ring D is independently substituted by oxo, T-R⁵, or V-Z-R⁵, and each substitutable ring nitrogen of Ring D is independently substituted by -R⁴;

T is a valence bond or a C₁₋₄ alkylidene chain, wherein when Q is -CH(R⁶)-, a methylene unit of said C₁₋₄ alkylidene chain is optionally replaced by -O-, -S-, -N(R⁴)-, -CO-, -CONH-, -NHCO-, -SO₂-, -SO₂NH-, -NHSO₂-, -CO₂-, -OC(O)-, -OC(O)NH-, or -NHCO₂-;

Z is a C₁₋₄ alkylidene chain;

R² and R^{2'} are independently selected from -R, -T-W-R⁶, or R² and R^{2'} are taken together with their intervening atoms to form a fused, 5-8 membered, unsaturated or partially unsaturated, ring having 0-3 ring heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfur, wherein each substitutable ring carbon of said fused ring formed by R² and R^{2'} is

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independently substituted by halo, oxo, -CN, -NO₂, -R⁷, or -V-R⁶, and each substitutable ring nitrogen of said ring formed by R^2 and R^2 is independently substituted by R^4 ;

- R^{3'} is selected from -halo, -OR, -C(=O)R, -CO₂R, -COCOR, -COCH₂COR, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)R, -S(O)₂R, -SR, -N(R⁴)₂, -CON(R⁷)₂, -SO₂N(R⁷)₂, -OC(=O)R, -N(R⁷)COR, -N(R⁷)CO₂(C₁₋₆ aliphatic), -N(R⁴)N(R⁴)₂, -C=NN(R⁴)₂, -C=N-OR, -N(R⁷)CON(R⁷)₂, -N(R⁷)SO₂N(R⁷)₂, -N(R⁴)SO₂R, -OC(=O)N(R⁷)₂, or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, C₆₋₁₀ aryl, a heteroaryl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or a heterocyclyl ring having 5-10 ring atoms;
- each R is independently selected from hydrogen or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, C₆₋₁₀ aryl, a heteroaryl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or a heterocyclyl ring having 5-10 ring atoms;
- each R^4 is independently selected from $-R^7$, $-CO_2$ (optionally substituted C_{1-6} aliphatic), $-CON(R^7)_2$, or $-SO_2R^7$;
- each R^5 is independently selected from -R, halo, -OR, -C(=O)R, -CO₂R, -COCOR, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)R, -SO₂R, -SR, -N(R⁴)₂, -CON(R⁴)₂, -SO₂N(R⁴)₂, -OC(=O)R, -N(R⁴)COR, -N(R⁴)CO₂(optionally substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic), -N(R⁴)N(R⁴)₂, -C=NN(R⁴)₂, -C=N-OR, -N(R⁴)CON(R⁴)₂, -N(R⁴)SO₂N(R⁴)₂, -N(R⁴)SO₂R, or -OC(=O)N(R⁴)₂;
- V is -O-, -S-, -SO-, -SO₂-, -N(R⁶)SO₂-, -SO₂N(R⁶)-, -N(R⁶)-, -CO-, -CO₂-, -N(R⁶)CO-,
 -N(R⁶)C(O)O-, -N(R⁶)CON(R⁶)-, -N(R⁶)SO₂N(R⁶)-, -N(R⁶)N(R⁶)-, -C(O)N(R⁶)-,
 -OC(O)N(R⁶)-, -C(R⁶)₂O-, -C(R⁶)₂SO-, -C(R⁶)₂SO₂-, -C(R⁶)₂SO₂N(R⁶)-,
 -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)-, -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)C(O)-, -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)C(O)O-, -C(R⁶)=NN(R⁶)-, -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)N(R⁶)-, -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)SO₂N(R⁶)-, or -C(R⁶)₂N(R⁶)CON(R⁶)-;
- $$\begin{split} W \ is \ -& C(R^6)_2 O_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}} O_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 S_{\text{-}} O_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 N(R^6)_{\text{-}}, \ -& C(R^6)_2 N(R^6)_{$$
- each R⁶ is independently selected from hydrogen or an optionally substituted C₁₋₄ aliphatic group, or two R⁶ groups on the same nitrogen atom are taken together with the nitrogen atom to form a 5-6 membered heterocyclyl or heteroaryl ring;
- each R⁷ is independently selected from hydrogen or an optionally substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic group, or two R⁷ on the same nitrogen are taken together with the nitrogen to form a 5-8 membered heterocyclyl or heteroaryl ring; and

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R⁸ is selected from -R, halo, -OR, -C(=O)R, -CO₂R, -COCOR, -NO₂, -CN, -S(O)R, -SO₂R, -SR, -N(R⁴)₂, -CON(R⁴)₂, -SO₂N(R⁴)₂, -OC(=O)R, -N(R⁴)COR, -N(R⁴)CO₂(optionally substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic), -N(R⁴)N(R⁴)₂, -C=NN(R⁴)₂, -C=N-OR, -N(R⁴)CON(R⁴)₂, -N(R⁴)SO₂N(R⁴)₂, -N(R⁴)SO₂R, or -OC(=CI)N(R⁴)₂; provided that when Q is -NH- and R^y and R⁸ are taken together, R¹ is other than pyrazol-3-yl or a bicyclic ring system containing said pyrazol-3-yl ring.

Claims 2-7. (Canceled).

Claims 8. (Currently amended) The compound according to claim 1, wherein said compound has one or more features selected from the group consisting of:

- (a) R^y is Z-R^{3'} or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, 5-6 membered heterocyclyl, phenyl, or 5-6 membered heteroaryl, wherein Z is a methylene and R^{3'} is -N(R⁴)₂, -OR, or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, C₆₋₁₀ aryl, a heteroaryl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or a heterocyclyl ring having 5-10 ring atoms;
- (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond or a methylene unit;
- (c) Ring D is a a-6-7 membered monocyclic or an 8-10 membered bicyclic aryl or heteroaryl ring; and
- (d) R² is -R or -T-W-R⁶ and R^{2'} is hydrogen, or R² and R^{2'} are taken together to form an optionally substituted benzo ring.
- Claim 9. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 8, wherein:
 - (a) R^y is Z-R^{3'} or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, 5-6 membered heterocyclyl, phenyl, cr 5-6 membered heteroaryl, wherein Z is a methylene and R^{3'} is -N(R⁴)₂, -OF, or an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, C₆₋₁₀ aryl, a heteroaryl ring having 5-10 ring atoms, or a heterocyclyl ring having 5-10 ring atoms;
 - (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond or a methylene unit;
 - (c) Ring D is a 6-7 membered monocyclic or an 8-10 membered bicyclic aryl or heteroaryl ring; and
 - (d) R² is -R or -T-W-R⁶ and R² is hydrogen, or R² and R² are taken together to form an optionally substituted benzo ring.

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Claims 10. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 8, wherein said compound has one or more features selected from the group consisting of:

- (a) R^y is an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, 5-6 membered heterocyclyl, phenyl, or 5-6 membered heteroaryl;
- (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond, and Q is -S-, -NH-, or -CH₂-;
- (c) Ring D is a 6 membered monocyclic or an 8-10 membered bicyclic aryl or heteroaryl ring; and
- (d) R² is -R and R² is hydrogen, wherein R is selected from hydrogen, C₁₋₆ aliphatic, phenyl, a 5-6 membered heteroaryl ring, or a 5-6 membered heterocyclic ring.
- Claim 11. (Previously presented) The compound according to claim 10, wherein:
 - (a) R^y is an optionally substituted group selected from C₁₋₆ aliphatic, 5-6 membered heterocyclyl, phenyl, or 5-6 membered heterocaryl;
 - (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond, and Q is -S-, -NH-, or -CH₂-;
 - (c) Ring D is a 6 membered monocyclic or an 8-10 membered bicyclic aryl or heteroaryl ring; and
 - (d) R² is -R and R² is hydrogen, wherein R is selected from hydrogen, C₁₋₆ aliphatic, phenyl, a 5-6 membered heteroaryl ring, or a 5-6 membered heterocyclic ring.
- Claim 12. (Currently amended) The compound according to claim 10, wherein said compound has one or more features selected from the group consisting of:
 - (a) R^y is selected from 2-pyridyl, 4-pyridyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, morpholinyl, piperazinyl, methyl, ethyl, cyclopropyl, isopropyl, t-butyl, alkoxyalkylamino, alkoxyalkyl, alkyl- or dialkylamino, alkyl- or dialkylaminoalkoxy, acetamido, optionally substituted phenyl, or methoxymethyl, or R^y and R⁸ are taken together to form a-5-6 membered unsaturated or partially unsaturated ring having 0-2 heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfurbenzo ring;
 - (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond and Ring D is a 6 membered aryl or heteroaryl ring, wherein Ring D is optionally substituted with one to two groups selected from -halo, -CN, -NO₂, -N(R⁴)₂, optionally substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic group, -OR, -CO₂R, -CONH(R⁴), -N(R⁴)COR, -N(R⁴)SO₂R,

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-N(R⁶)COCH₂CH₂N(R⁴)₂, or -N(R⁶)COCH₂CH₂CH₂N(R⁴)₂, and Q is -S- or -NH-; and

(c) R² is hydrogen or a substituted or unsubstituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic, and.

Claim 13. (Currently amended) The compound according to claim 12, wherein:

- (a) R^y is selected from 2-pyridyl, 4-pyridyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, morpholinyl, piperazinyl, methyl, ethyl, cyclopropyl, isopropyl, t-butyl, alkoxyalkylamino, alkoxyalkyl, alkyl- or dialkylamino, alkyl- or dialkylaminoalkoxy, acetamido, optionally substituted phenyl, or methoxymethyl, or R^y and R⁸ are taken together to form a 5-6 membered unsaturated or partially unsaturated ring having 0-2 heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen, or sulfurbenzo ring;
- (b) R¹ is T-(Ring D), wherein T is a valence bond and Ring D is a 6 membered aryl or heteroaryl ring, wherein Ring D is optionally substituted with one to two groups selected from -halo, -CN, -NO₂, -N(R⁴)₂, optionally substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic group, -OR, -CO₂R, -CONH(R⁴), -N(R⁴)COR, -N(R⁴)SO₂R, -N(R⁶)COCH₂CH₂N(R⁴)₂, or -N(E⁶)COCH₂CH₂CH₂N(R⁴)₂, and Q is -S- or -NH-; and
- (c) R² is hydrogen or a substituted or ur substituted C₁₋₆ aliphatic, and.
- Claim14. (Previously presented) A compound selected from the group consisting of: 6-Benzyl- N^4 -(1*H*-indazol-6-yl)- N^2 -(5-methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl)-pyrimidine-2,4-diamine; 6-Methyl- N^2 -(5-methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl)- N^4 -pyridine-3-ylmethyl-pyrimidine-2,4-diamine;
- N-(4-{2-(5-Methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-ylamino)-6-[(pyridin-3-ylmethyl)-amino]-pyrimidin-4-ylamino}-phenyl)-methanesulfonamide;
- N^2 -(5-Cyclopropyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl)- N^4 -(2-methoxy-ethyl)-6-(thiophen-2-ylmethylsulfanyl)-pyrimidine-2,4-diamine;
- [4-(Benzothiazol-6-ylsulfanyl)-6-(3-dimethylamino-propoxy)-pyrimidin-2-yl]-(5-cyclopropyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl)-amine;
- N-(4-[2-(5-Cyclopropyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-ylamino)-6-(1-methyl-piperidin-4-yloxy)-pyrimidin-4-ylsulfanyl]-phenyl}-acetamide;
 - N-{4-[2-(5-Methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-ylamino) quinazolin-4-ylsulfanyl]-phenyl}-acetamide; [4-(Benzothiazol-6-ylsulfanyl)-quinazolin-2-yl-(5-methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl)-amine;

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 $\{4-[2-(5-Cyclopropyl-1H-pyrazol-3-ylamino)-quinazolin-4-yloxy]-phenyl\}$ -acetonitrile; $(5-Cyclopropyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl)-[4-(3-methoxy-benzyl)-quinazolin-2-yl]-amine; <math>N^2-(1H-Indazol-6-yl)-N^4-pyridin-3-ylmethyl-quinazoline-2,4-diamine;$ and (4-(Benzyloxy-quinazolin-2-yl-(1H-indazol-3-yl)-amine.

Claim 15. (Original) A composition comprising a compound according to any one of claims 1-14, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claim 16. (Original) The composition according to claim 15, further comprising an additional therapeutic agent.

Claims 17-34. (Canceled)